CICASP Seminar in Science Communication: Summary & Outline

Wednesday 24th February, 2016

Summary: CICASP Seminar 22

Practice Presentations for PWS Annual Meeting

This session was the second in the block of three giving students the opportunity to further improve their posters or oral presentations and obtain practice in answering questions. Both volunteer speakers presented their research on chimpanzees. Duncan Wilson gave his talk on attention facilitation and disengagement and Gao Jie spoke about her empirical work investigating understanding of circular relationships. A very important point is that there are no absolute rights or wrongs; there is a huge variety of opinions on what is best to include or exclude in talk-slides. Students can listen to advice and take on board what they find most useful and relevant. However, when preparing presentations it is essential to consider your target audience.

Wednesday 2nd March, 2016

Outline: CICASP Seminar 23
Practice Presentations for PWS Annual Meeting

We will continue the practice presentations for the PWS Annual Meeting. Three students have volunteered to present their research at this Seminar. Members of the audience will benefit from giving and hearing feedback on these two talks and one poster. Keep in mind that at the PWS Annual Meeting, L1 to L3 students will have 10 minutes for their presentation, as well as the question and answer period, while L4 and L5 students will have 15 minutes for their presentations, along with the question and answer period. This time will include any setting-up time if you choose to use your own laptop.